

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5 as follows:

Cross-Reference to Related Applications

This application is related to co-pending, commonly assigned Von Arx et al. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. [[____]] 10/025,223, entitled "A TELEMETRY DUTY CYCLE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE," filed December 19, 2001 (~~Attorney Docket No. 279.366US1~~) and Von Arx et al. U.S. Patent Application Serial No. [[____]], 10/025,183 entitled "AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE WITH TWO OR MORE TELEMETRY SYSTEMS," filed December 19, 2001 (~~Attorney Docket No. 279.391US1~~), each of which is hereby incorporated by reference.